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Comments

[NOTE: All citations to “Manual” in the comments below are to the Administrative Rules Procedures Manual, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated September 1998.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. In SEC. 2, the material in parentheses should be set apart with commas or be placed in an explanatory note. [See s. 1.01 (6), Manual.] This same problem also occurs in SEC. 11 of the rule.

b. Throughout the rule, references are made to “sections” of the Social Security Act. However, references to federal laws should utilize the U.S. Code reference as has been done correctly in SEC. 1 of the rule. See SECS. 2, 4, 11 and 12 of the rule for examples of this problem.

c. In s. Ins 3.39 (21) (f), the notations “par.” and “pars.” should be replaced by the notation “sub.” Also, the word “defined” should be replaced by the word “described,” since the term in question already is defined in s. Ins 3.39 (3) (cm).

d. In s. Ins 3.39 (34) (b) 2., the word “below” should be replaced by the phrase “in subpars. a. to f.”

e. In SEC. 5, the reference to “part” should be replaced by a reference to “Part C of Medicare.” Also, the notation “; or” should be replaced with a period.

f. In SEC. 7, “such” should be replaced by “the.” [See s. 1.01 (9) (c), Manual.]

g. In SEC. 10, “par.” should be inserted before “(b) 2.,” and “(a)” in par. (b) 2. f. i. and before “(b) 2. f. i.” and “(a)” in par. (b) 2. f. ii. However, it should be noted that subdivision paragraphs, i.e., (b) 2. f., may not be further divided. [See s. 1.03 (6), Manual.] The sentences of subpar. f. can be combined into one subparagraph.

h. In s. Ins 3.39 (34) (c) 3., the word “defined” should be replaced by the word “described.”